

**Expert Review Panel  
Agenda  
February 10, 2005  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
(Tour Day)**

9:00 a.m.      **Leave on bus** from Inn at the Harbor Steps (1221 First Avenue)

9:00 a.m.      **Tour #1. East Corridor**

*Directions:* Drive across I-90, DT Bellevue, across SR-520, end at Convention Place Station.

*Potential stops:*

- Bellevue Transit Center
- BNSF R-O-W
- Somewhere to get a look at 405/520 intersection
- Overlake Transit Center

*Purpose:* Become acquainted with Eastside locations in preparation for a presentation on 11 Feb 2005.

*Tour guides:* Paul Matsuoka, Andrea Tull, Jim Edwards

10:30 a.m.      **Tour #2. Downtown Seattle Transit Tunnel**

*Directions:* Enter Convention Place Station, through DSTT, end at International District Station.

*Potential stops:* University **or** Westlake station

*Purpose:* Understand the scale of the tunnel and its role in the current ST system and Long-Range Plan.

*Tour guide:* Mike Williams

11:00 a.m.      **Tour #3. King Street Station**

*Directions:* Exit I.D. Station, halfway over the Weller St. Pedbridge, along the King Street Station platform, exit at Jackson St. stairway, across Fourth Ave S., to front of Union Station

*Potential stops:* King Street Station platform

*Purpose:* See the Sounder terminal, and connection to DSTT, and where the Monorail will be located nearby.

*Tour guide:* David Beal

11:15 a.m.      **Tour #4. LINK South**

*Potential stops:*

- Maintenance base
- Beacon Hill tunnel

- At-grade segment
- 154<sup>th</sup> Station area
- Airport Terminal area

*Purpose:* Become familiar with construction of the light rail line between downtown Seattle and the airport.

*Tour guide:* Mike Williams

12:45 p.m.      **Tour #5. HCT on I-5/SR-99 North Corridor**

*Potential stops:* One or two I-5 interchanges that pose interesting challenges.

*Purpose:* Gain a sense of what the Long-Range Plan HCT corridors look like in the north corridor, and the kinds of challenges faced.

*Tour guides:* Matt Sheldon, Art Borst

2:15 p.m.      **Tour #6. Monorail**

*Directions:* Follow **Green Line** monorail alignment from Ballard (NW 85<sup>th</sup> St./15<sup>th</sup> AVE NW) to West Seattle (time permitting). End at PSRC offices in downtown Seattle.

*Potential stops:* Location(s) along the monorail alignment.

*Purpose:* Become familiar with the Monorail Green Line.

*Tour guide:* Tom Weeks, Seattle Monorail Project Board Chair

4:00 p.m.      **Tour #7: Keyhole “Tour” of Land Use, Corridors and Facilities**  
(At PSRC offices, 1011 Western Ave, Suite 500)

*“Stops”:*

1) **Background/Region**

- Density, growth patterns, regional centers, physical constraints, subarea stats

2) **Sound Move**

- *Sounder* alignment, Tacoma-to-Seattle; Tac. Dome Station + Auburn **OR** Kent
- *Sounder* alignment, Everett-to-Seattle; Edmonds Station, Everett Station

3) **North**

- 522 Corridor, NG to Woodinville
- I-5 Northgate to Everett

4) **East**

- Area Overview: 2 lakes, 2 bridges, I-90/SR520, 2 mtns
- Fly 405, discuss BRT study, BNSF ROW, BTC and NE 6<sup>th</sup> HOV interchange, Kirkland TC, Totem Lake area
- Fly 520, discuss transit lane alts, relationships to UW, Bellevue CBD + Microsoft
- Fly I-90, center lanes, rel. to DSTT, east to Issaquah

5) **South**

- Tacoma Link, including west extension to TCC
- Frederickson alignment to Tacoma Dome Station
- Orting alignment, just pan of area
- Burien to Renton, via SeaTac and Tukwila

*Purpose:* Take a “virtual” aerial tour of the region, viewing land use patterns, transportation corridors and facilities not seen on the bus tour.

*Tour guides:* Paul Arnold, with ST Corridor Leads

5:00 p.m. Meeting ends

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